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Mr. Paul Spor, Manager
North Lily Mining Company
P. O. Box 421
Eureka, Utah 84628

RE: Compliance and Monitoring Report,
UGW230001

Dear Mr. Spor:

This letter is to acknowledge the quarterly monitoring report received by this office April 13, 1992.

We note that a 35 gpd leak occurred in the pad system February 4 1992, but subsided shortly thereafter to .1 - .5 gpd. Conditions of the construction permit incorporated into the discharge permit requires reduction in application rates if the leak exceeds 50 gpd. However we recommend the continuing small leak be investigated and eliminated to reduce the potential for ground water pollution. Continued long term presence of fluid in leak detection media creates an increased risk for release. This issue also becomes critical when closure of the facility is undertaken. There is a need to document contamination, and remediation is required, especially under CERCLA programs.

If you have any questions call Mack Croft at 538-6146.

Sincerely,

Larry J. Mize

Larry J. Mize, P.E., Manager
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cc: Roger Foisey - District Engineer
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